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No. 135502-HIII(3)-2022/20111.—The Administrator, Union Territory, Chandigarh, is pleased to revise rates of the Cash Award (one time), Land or Monetary Grant in lieu of Land (one time), Monthly Allowances, as applicable to the Gallantry/Distinguished award winners. The details of cash incentives to the beneficiaries are enumerated in succeeding paragraphs.

CASH INCENTIVES APPLICABLE TO THE GALLANTRY/DISTINGUISHED AWARD WINNERS UPTO 04.06.2009

Sr. No.	Name of Decoration		Cash Award (One Time) up to 04.06.2009	Monetary grant in lieu of land (One Time) up to 04.06.2009	Existing Monthly Allowance as per notification dated 14.02.2013	Revised Monthly Allowance with effect from the date of this Notification
i	Param Vir Chakra	PVC	22,500/-	1,50,000/-	15,400/-	41,580/-
ii	Ashok Chakra	AC	20,000/-	1,25,000/-	15,400/-	33,264/-
iii	Maha Vir Chakra	MVC	15,000/-	1,10,000/-	11,550/-	31,601/-
iv	Kirti Chakra	KC	12,000/-	75,000/-	11,550/-	24,948/-
v	Vir Chakra	VrC	7,000/-	50,000/-	5,400/-	18,295
vi	Shaurya Chakra	SC	5,000/-	40,000/-	5,400/-	11,664/-
vii	Sena/Nao Sena/ Vayu Sena Medal (Gallantry)	SM(G)	3000/-	20,000/-	3,100/-	5,580/-
viii	Sena/Nao Sena/ Vayu Sena Medal (Distinguished Services)	SM(D)	3000/-	20,000/-	1,000/-	1,000/-
ix	Sarvotam Yudh Seva Medal	SYSM	17,000/-	1,10,000/-	2,500/-	2,500/-

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x	Param Vishisht Seva Medal	PVSM	15,000/-	1,00,000/-	2,000/-	2,000/-
xi	Uttam Yudh Seva Medal	UYSM	10,000/-	65,000/-	2,000/-	2,000/-
xii	Ati Vishisht Seva Medal	AVSM	7,000/-	50,000/-	1,500/-	1,500/-
xiii	Yudh Seva Medal	YSM	4,000/-	30,000/-	1,500/-	1,500/-
xiv	Vishist Seva Medal	VSM	3,000/-	20,000/-	1,000/-	1,000/-
xv	Mention- in- Despatches (Gallantry)	M-in-D	2,000/-	10,000/-	1,000/-	2,790/-
xvi	Mention- in- Despatches (Distinguished Services)	M-in-D	-	-	-	558/-

2. The enhanced rates of monthly allowances will be applicable from the date of issuance of this Notification to the cash awardees upto 04.06.2009 only. Thereafter, only one time lump sum grants are being paid in accordance with Chandigarh Administration Notification No. 11252-HIII(3)-2008/11001 dated 05.06.2009.

However, the old awardees, who are entitled monthly allowances and could not claim the benefit in time, will be entitled to receive as per the above rates, provided, **NO ARREARS WILL BE PAID**. The benefits will be paid to the cash awardees from the date of sanction of his claim by the Chandigarh Administration. After death of the awardee his wife is eligible to receive benefits of the monthly allowances on the same rates.

ONE TIME LUMP SUM GRANT TO THE CASH AWARDEES FROM 05.06.2009 ONWARDS

3. The rates of one time lump sum grant to the cash awardees are as under :—

Sr. No.	Name of Decoration		One time lump sum grant from 05.06.2009 to 13.02.2013	One time lump sum grant from 14.02.2013 to till the date of this notification	One time lump sum grant to the future awardees from the date of this notification
i	Param Vir Chakra	PVC	25,00,000/-	30,00,000/-	2,00,00,000/-
ii	Ashok Chakra	AC	25,00,000/-	30,00,000/-	2,00,00,000/-
iii	Maha Vir Chakra	MVC	15,00,000/-	20,00,000/-	1,00,00,000/-
iv	Kirti Chakra	KC	15,00,000/-	20,00,000/-	1,00,00,000/-
v	Vir Chakra	VrC	10,00,000/-	15,00,000/-	50,00,000/-
vi	Shaurya Chakra	SC	10,00,000/-	15,00,000/-	50,00,000/-
vii	Sena/Nao Sena/ Vayu Sena Medal (Gallantry)	SM(G)	5,00,000/-	7,00,000/-	14,00,000/-
viii	Sena/Nao Sena/ Vayu Sena Medal (Distinguished Services)	SM(D)	2,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	2,00,000/-

ix	Sarvotam Yudh Seva Medal	SYSM	5,00,000/-	5,00,000/-	5,00,000/-
x	Param Vishisht Seva Medal	PVSM	3,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	3,00,000/-
xi	Uttam Yudh Seva Medal	UYSM	4,00,000/-	4,00,000/-	4,00,000/-
xii	Ati Vishisht Seva Medal	AVSM	2,50,000/-	2,50,000/-	2,50,000/-
xiii	Yudh Seva Medal	YSM	3,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	3,00,000/-
xiv	Vishist Seva Medal	VSM	2,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	2,00,000/-
xv	Mention-in-Despatches (Gallantry)	M-in-D	2,50,000/-	5,00,000/-	10,00,000/-
xvi	Mention-in-Despatches (Distinguished Services)	M-in-D (D)	--	2,50,000/-	2,50,000/-

4. The cash awards are announced by the Govt of India and published in Gazette Notification of India. Therefore, it is clarified that one-time lump sum grant of cash awards benefits are applicable to the cash awardees from the date of publication of Notification in the Gazette of India. As the rate of one time lump sum grant of cash award benefits are revised from time to time by Chandigarh Administration, hence, the rates of one time lump sum grant of cash awards are applicable to the awardees of the era as applicable. No arrears will be paid subject to revision of rates from time to time.

Terms & Conditions :

5. The future awardees will be entitled only one time lump sum grant and will not be entitled for any other financial benefits. On receipt of cash award claim the benefits will be applicable from the date of sanction by the Chandigarh Administration and no arrears will be paid.

6. In case of death of an awardee, spouse (as per service records) is eligible for monthly allowances as applicable to the cash awardees. The widow of an awardee, who gets re-married and lives a communal life with the living heirs of family pension, will also be eligible for monthly allowances as applicable to the cash awardees.

7. In case of posthumous awardee, the ratio of award will be applicable as under :—

- (i) Widow 35%, Children 35% and remaining to parents. In case the parents are not alive, the 30% share of the parents will be equally divided between widow and children. In case there is no child, the award money will be divided between parents and widow in the ratio of 50:50. In case of minor children, the amount shall be given in form of a Bank Fixed Deposit Receipt (FDR), which shall be payable only to the Child upon his/her gaining maturity. The interest earned on the FDR shall not be withdrawn in favour of the minor child except with the prior approval of the Deputy Commissioner, Chandigarh, who shall ensure that the amount is spent exclusively for the benefit of the minor.
- (ii) If Posthumous Gallantry Awardee is bachelor or single, 100% of the award money will be given to parents. In case one of parent has expired then 100% of the benefits will be applicable to living single parent. In case both the parents have expired, the benefits will be distributed equally among un-married sisters and brothers.

8. The financial benefits is providing to cash award winners by respective States/U.Ts to their permanent residents only. It is not transferable to any other States/U.Ts. The Cash Awardees of Chandigarh, who are receiving monthly allowances and shifted to another States/U.Ts, will entitle to receive allowances regularly. Similarly resident of other States/U.Ts, who are receiving monthly allowances from their respective States/U.Ts and shifted in Chandigarh, are not entitled to claim monthly allowances from Chandigarh Administration.

9. The cash awardees & their widows who are receiving monthly allowance, will be required to submit their live certificate directly to the Deputy Commissioner-cum Controller, Civil Defence, Union Territory, Chandigarh and copy to Zila Sainik Welfare Office, Union Territory, Chandigarh in the month of November every year, duly attested/countersigned by a Class-I Gazetted Officer, If the live certificate is not received by the said office, then entitled monthly allowances will be stopped and the same will be resumed only after receipt of the live certificate.

Claim of Arrears by NOKs :

10. On demise of cash awardees & spouse (both parents) who were receiving monthly allowance, their next of kin (NOK) may claim the arrears till the date of death of last beneficiary. For claiming of the arrears following documents have to be submitted to the DC-cum Controller, Civil Defence Office, Chandigarh through Zila Sainik Welfare Office, Chandigarh :—

- (i) Personal Application.
- (ii) Death Certificate of both parents.
- (iii) Legal Heir Certificate.
- (iv) Succession Certificate.
- (v) NOC from other Legal Heirs.
- (vi) Bank Account Details.

How to Apply :

11. The applicant should submit the documents as per prescribed format available at website www.chandigarhsainikwelfare.org directly to Zila Sainik Welfare Office, U.T, Chandigarh in triplicate. All documents should be attested by the competent authority of respective unit/formation as per details given below :—

- (i) Application for the award (Appendix 'A').
- (ii) Gazette of India Notification.
- (iii) Residence Certificate issued by the SDM, Chandigarh (Appendix 'B').
- (iv) Serving Certificate (only serving personnel) (Appendix 'C').
- (v) Self declaration (Appendix 'D').
- (vi) Bank Account Details (Appendix 'E').
- (vii) Ex-serviceman Identity Card issued by Zila Sainik Welfare Office UT Chandigarh, (only for ex-servicemen).
- (viii) Widow Identity Card issued by Zila Sainik Welfare Office UT Chandigarh and Death Certificate of her husband, (in case of widow claimant).
- (ix) Photocopy of Aadhaar Card & PAN Card.
- (x) Address should be same as residence certificate issued by SDM Chandigarh and address confirmed by respective defence HQs.

Action - Zila Sainik Welfare Office :

12. On receipt of cash award claim the following action will be taken by the Zila Sainik Welfare Office, U.T, Chandigarh :—

- (i) On receipt of cash award claim documents, the Zila Sainik Welfare Officer U.T, Chandigarh will get verification regarding address at the time of commissioning, address at the time of award and present address as per service records held with respective Defence HQs/Records Office. In case of address at the time of commissioning and present address are different then NOC will be obtained from the claimant parental State/U.Ts.
- (ii) Address of claimant should be matched in Application for the award, Residence Certificate issued by the SDM, Chandigarh and same address should be incorporate in verification certificate regarding address issued by respective Defence HQs/Records Office.
- (iii) Zila Sainik Welfare Office, U.T, Chandigarh will securitize the documents of cash award claim and forwarded the same to Deputy Commissioner-cum Controller, Civil Defence Union Territory, Chandigarh alongwith a copy of address verification from respective Defence HQs/Records Office and NOC obtained from parental State/U.Ts (if applicable).

13. It is further clarified that the cash awards benefits are applicable to the particulars individual from the date of publication of Gazette of India Notification. As the rate of cash award benefits are revised from time to time by Chandigarh Administration, hence, the rates of cash awards are applicable to the cash awardees of era as applicable.

14. The old notifications providing the cash awards benefits i.e. monetary grants in lieu of land, monthly allowance and one time lump sum grant issued *vide* Chandigarh Administration Notifications Nos. 11252-HIII(3)-2008/11001, dated 05.06.2009 and 3659-HIII(3)-2013/2776 dated 14.02.2013, which are in vogue, have been consolidated in this notification.

15. The enhanced rates of monthly allowance will be applicable from the date of issuance of this Notification.

NITIN KUMAR YADAV, IAS,
Home Secretary,
Chandigarh Administration.

Appendix 'A'**APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF CASH AWARD TO RECIPIENTS OF THE GALLANTRY
AND OTHER DEFENCE DECORATIONS**

1. Service No. of the applicant: _____
2. Name of the applicant: _____
3. Rank of the applicant: _____
4. Unit where serving/Served: _____
5. Home Address: _____
6. Address at the time of Commission: _____
7. Name of Award: _____
8. Nature of the Award: _____
(*Gallantry or Distinguished Service)
9. Date of the award: _____
10. Authority for the award: _____
(Gazette of India Notification No & dt-copy attached)
11. Ser No of Gazette Notification mentioning: _____
the name of Award
12. Self Declaration (attached): _____
13. Residence Certificate issued: _____
by SDM Chandigarh (attached)
14. Serving Certificate/ESM Identity Card (attached): _____
15. Bank Details/NEFT for e-payment (attached): _____
16. Aadhaar Card No (copy attached): _____
17. PAN Card No. (copy attached): _____
18. Contact No. _____
19. E-mail ID _____

This is submitted for your kind consideration and for necessary action please.

Dated :

(Signature of the applicant)

COUNTERSIGNED

Appendix 'B'**RESIDENCE CERTIFICATE
(To be issued by SDM Chandigarh only)**

As reported by the Tehsildar, U.T., Chandigarh *vide* report dated _____, it is certified that permanent residence address of Service No. _____ Rank _____ Name _____ S/O Sh. _____ is House No. _____ Sector _____, U.T., Chandigarh.

Station : Chandigarh

Sub Divisional Magistrate,
U.T., Chandigarh.

Dated :

No : S.M.M.(C)/

Appendix 'C'**SERVING CERTIFICATE (IN CASE OF ACTIVE SERVICE)**

It is certified that Service No. _____ Rank _____ Name _____ is serving in the Army/Navy/Air Force and is presently serving with (Name of unit/formation HQs) _____ since _____.

Dated :

(Signature of competent Authority)

Appendix 'D'

SELF DECLARATION

I, Service No. _____ Rank _____ Name _____ S/O _____ resident of House No. _____, Sector _____ U.T., Chandigarh do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as under :—

1. That I am a permanent resident of UT Chandigarh.
2. At the time of Commission in Army/Navy/Air Force my address was _____.
3. That I have been awarded _____ Gallantry Award by the President of India on _____ vide Gazette of India Notification No. _____ dated _____.

OR

That I have been awarded _____ Distinguished Service Award by the President of India on _____ vide Gazette of India Notification No. _____ dated _____.

4. That I have not claimed / received any grant, monthly allowance land or monetary grant in lieu of land from any other State Govt/UT as well as from Union Territory Chandigarh. I will not make any claim in future from any State/UT's for the same award.
5. "I, Service No. _____ Rank _____ Name _____ S/O _____ resident of House No. _____, Sector _____ UT Chandigarh, verify that the above contents are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed therein. I am aware that in case the information furnished above is found to be incorrect, I shall be liable for prosecution under Section 177 & 191 of the Indian Penal Code, which stipulates imprisonment and fine"

Paste attested latest photograph with half stamp on the photograph and half on the paper

Station : Chandigarh

(Signature of the applicant)

Dated :

COUNTERSIGNED

Appendix 'E'**NEFT (BANK DETAILS)**

The Bank Details for e-payment of cash awards benefits are as under :—

Name of Account Holder	
Bank Name	
Account No.	
IFSC Code	
Bank Branch Code	
MICR Code	
Bank Address	
DBT Aadhaar Link (to be verified by bank)	

Dated :

(Signature of the applicant)

Bank verification :—

It is certified that Bank Account No. _____
 of _____ (Name of Bank) IFSC Code No. _____ in respect of
 Sh. _____ has been seeded with his **Aadhaar Card**
No. _____ and attached/available this account number on PFMS (DBT),
NPCI Server.

Bank Seal _____

Dated :

(Signature of Bank Manager with Designation Stamp)

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Somesh, S/o Rajendra Prasad, R/o # 1438, Sector 40-B, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Sumesh Kumar Kashyap.

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I, Ranjana, W/o Sumesh Kumar Kashyap, R/o # 1438, Sector 40-B, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Ranjana Kashyap.

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